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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 9, 2007, Applicants submit a Petition for Two-Month extension of time and the following amendments and remarks.

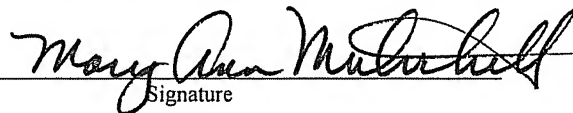
**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 4 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.

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